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Work of the Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

The Economic and Social Council,

Recalling its resolution 2001/34 of 26 July 2001,

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals[1] during the biennium 1999-2000, in particular regarding the adoption of new and amended provisions for inclusion in the eleventh revised edition of the *Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods: Model Regulations and in the third revised edition of the Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods: Manual of Tests and Criteria*;

2. *Invites* all Governments, the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and the other international organizations concerned to transmit to the secretariat of the Committee their views on the Committee's work, together with any comments that they may wish to make on the amended recommendations;

3. *Invites* all interested Governments, regional commissions, the specialized agencies and the international organizations concerned, when developing or updating appropriate codes and regulations, to consider taking into account the recommendations of the Committee;

* On behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group of 77 and China.

[1] E/2001/44.

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4. *Requests* the Secretary-General to submit a report to the Economic and Social Council in 2003 on the implementation of its resolution 2001/34 and the present resolution.